

The LECs operate an "essential facility", and should have to accommodate other ISP firms that wish to purchase access from them. This wholesale provisioning stimulates competition and benefits consumers. Chairman Powell: Please do not sell out to BIG BUSINESS, at the expense of competition and the small businesses of our country. Futura, a small company, provides the best service I have ever had and I have had most of the big servers in the past. Please don't do anything to harm the samall independent ISP's.